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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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TITLE: **METHOD FOR STACKING SEMICONDUCTOR DIE WITHIN AN IMPLANTED MEDICAL DEVICE**

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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ **Patent Application Transmittal**
- ☒ **Specification:**
Total pages: 24 (including claims and abstract: Spec. 17 sheets; Claims 6 sheets; Abstract - 1
- ☒ **Drawings:**
Total sheets: 5
☐ formal ☒ informal

☒ **Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:**

- ☒ newly executed
- ☐ copy from prior application
- ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
- ☐ Incorporation by Reference - *The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied above is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.*

☒ **Accompanying application parts:**

- ☐ Notification of filing a
- ☒ Assignment of the Invention to Medtronic, Inc.
- ☒ Assignment cover sheet
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ PTO Form 1449
- ☐ Copies of IDS citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ A copy of the Petition or Conditional Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application.
- ☒ Return Postcard

IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION:

- ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior application No. _____ / _____.
- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application is a ☐ continuation
☐ division ☐ continuation in part of application number _____, filed _____.
- ☐ Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
(At least the original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
- ☐ The prior application is assigned of record to Medtronic, Inc.
- ☐ The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to: _____.

☐ This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application(s) Serial No.(s) _____, filed _____.

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FEE CALCULATION	No. of Claims Filed	Claims Included in Base Fee	No. of Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	21	20	= 1	x 18	18
Independent Claims	2	3	= 0	x 80	0
Multiple Dependent Claims	0			+ 270	0
Basic Filing Fee					710
TOTAL					798

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